

# International Application for Admission and Scholarships



## Application Instructions

2023-2024 Academic Year

[ohio.edu/admissions](http://ohio.edu/admissions)

Undergraduate Admissions, Chubb Hall 120, 1 Ohio University Drive, Athens OH 45701-2979, U.S.A.

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Who should use this form? Any student who will attend on a non-immigrant visa should use this form and follow the steps listed below. U.S. citizens and permanent residents should request appropriate application materials from Undergraduate Admissions.

### Application Instructions

**Step 1.** Complete the enclosed international application form and send with a U.S. \$70.00 nonrefundable application fee. Checks or money orders should be drawn on a U.S. bank or a bank with U.S. affiliates. Postal coupons and “Eurocheques” are not accepted. If you prefer, you can submit the application form and pay the application fee online at [ohio.edu/admissions/international/apply](http://ohio.edu/admissions/international/apply).

**Step 2.** Submit academic records for each year of secondary and any university-level work completed since high school. Unofficial academic records can be used to make admissions decisions but cannot be used to transfer credit. Official academic records must be submitted to Ohio University Undergraduate Admissions prior to the start of the first semester. Refer to the “Official Academic Records” section below for further information.

**Step 3.** Applicants who wish to provide standardized test results, either SAT or ACT, may have scores sent to Undergraduate Admissions. Undergraduate Admissions requires that test results be sent directly from the testing agencies. OHIO’s ACT code is 3314, and the SAT code is 1593. Applicants who do not wish to provide standardized test results may apply as a test-optional applicant by noting so in the application below.

### Completing the Form

Complete the application form completely and accurately, following the guidelines below:

- **Name.** Please list your name **as it appears in your passport**. Immigration-related papers will be completed using the name as you list it on your application.
- **Address.** Be sure to list your overseas home address as your permanent address for visa purposes.
- **Social Security Number.** If you do not have a U.S. Social Security number, leave this item blank.
- **Email.** Ohio University uses email extensively to communicate with applicants. Please be sure to provide an accurate email address for an account you regularly read.

### Application Deadlines

General priority dates for forms and credentials:  
(We strongly encourage you to apply early.)

Entering Semester	Early Action Deadline*	Rolling Admission Deadline**
Fall	November 15	February 1
Spring		November 1
Summer		February 1

\*Complete applications (all required materials received by the deadline) will receive priority consideration for direct entry to academic programs, merit scholarship programs, and University honors experiences.

\*\*Transfer students should complete applications according to rolling admission deadlines.

**Step 4.** Include your full name on all supporting documents.

**Step 5.** Send official TOEFL, IELTS, Duolingo English Test or other demonstration of English proficiency. Non-native English-speaking students must demonstrate English proficiency in order to be admitted directly to full-time academic study. Visit [ohio.edu/english-proficiency](http://ohio.edu/english-proficiency) for minimum score requirements, a full listing of acceptable means of demonstrating English proficiency, as well as policy exemptions.

Academically talented students who would like to pursue English language training may apply to our nondegree Ohio Program of Intensive English via this

### Official Academic Records

Copies of your academic records are required from every secondary and post-secondary institution you have attended. Unofficial academic records may be submitted to [admissions@ohio.edu](mailto:admissions@ohio.edu) to receive an admissions decision. Final, official documents must be submitted prior to the start of the first semester. Official documents must be submitted directly to Undergraduate Admissions, Chubb Hall 120, 1 Ohio University Drive, Athens OH 45701 in envelopes that have been sealed and stamped by the institution, the Ministry of Education in the country of instruction or EducationUSA or related binational organization.

Transcripts or academic records should list each course title, the credit or contact hours for each course, and the grade received.

- Transcripts from U.S. and Canadian schools or universities must be sent directly to Undergraduate Admissions by the issuing institution.
- If you have studied in any other country, official certified or attested copies of your academic records are required. If the original is not in English, also include a certified translation.
- If you are currently in a U.S. high school but have taken secondary classes outside of the U.S., please have your current high school counselor send copies of your international transcripts with your U.S. transcripts.

### Information for Applicants with Disabilities

Services are available for students with diagnosed documented disabilities. Students are encouraged to contact Student Accessibility Services at least five months prior to beginning classes to ensure specific accommodations are met. More information is available at [ohio.edu/uc/sas](http://ohio.edu/uc/sas) or by calling +1.740.593.2620 (V) or +1.740.593.0193 (TTY).

## Freshman Applicants

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To be competitive for admission, you must complete secondary school in a college-preparatory program and receive grades equivalent to a 3.0 on a 4.0 scale or better in most of your academic program. Applications are reviewed individually to provide a careful evaluation of your academic preparation.

### Secondary School Completion Requirements

OHIO is home to a welcoming and diverse community of students from all over the world, and admission to the university at all levels is selective. To be competitive, you must complete the secondary education in your home country with above-average grades. Please see [ohio.edu/admissions/international/apply](http://ohio.edu/admissions/international/apply) for your specific country requirements. For students participating in the GCSE or IGCSE curricula, we generally expect to see at least 6 passes, graded C or higher. Students who are going on to complete GCE Advanced Subsidiary (AS-levels) and/or Advanced Levels (A-levels) may be awarded transfer credit for successfully completed exams. For students studying an International Baccalaureate (IB) curriculum, we generally expect an average of 5 out of 7 on your college-preparatory curriculum. IB Higher Level examinations may also be eligible for transfer credit.

### Admissions Tests

Ohio University has adopted a test-optional pathway for admission to the Athens campus for freshman applicants. Freshman applicants may opt to submit ACT or SAT scores or they may apply without submitting test scores. Students should indicate whether or not they plan to apply test-optional in the “standardized tests” section of the application.

Undergraduate Admissions takes a holistic approach to reviewing every application for admission, and applying test-optional will not have a negative impact on students’ admission decision. Test-optional students are eligible to be considered for all University benefits, including merit scholarships and honors and scholars programs. To learn more about OHIO’s test optional pathway, visit [ohio.edu/admissions/apply/test-optional](http://ohio.edu/admissions/apply/test-optional).

For students who choose to submit test scores, the composite score of the ACT or the combined math and evidence-based reading and writing scores on the SAT will be considered. Undergraduate Admissions will consider both new SAT and old SAT scores. While we continue to superscore (combine subscores from multiple test dates) across the same version of the SAT, we will not superscore between the new SAT and old SAT. ACT writing and SAT essay scores are not considered in the review process for scholarships. Ohio University requires that scores be sent directly from the testing agency. Ohio University’s ACT code is 3314, and our SAT code is 1593.

### Optional Essay

- Applicants who have been out of high school for more than one year must submit an essay detailing activities since graduation.
- Applicants to the E.W. Scripps School of Journalism are encouraged, though not required, to submit an essay detailing how they want to help shape the future of journalism.
- Applicants to the College of Business are strongly encouraged to submit an essay describing how their academic, extracurricular, community service or work experience has shaped and prepared them to succeed in OHIO’s College of Business.
- Applicants to the Honors Tutorial College (HTC) should submit the essay questions as outlined on the HTC supplement.
- For all other applicants, the essay is optional. If an applicant chooses to submit an optional essay, potential topics could include describing any academic challenges the applicant has faced, the applicant’s academic and career objectives, or the applicant’s involvement in community affairs. Recommended length is 250-500 words.

### Other Optional Application Materials

- Applicants may choose to submit additional application materials with the application form. Optional application materials could include teacher or counselor recommendations; lists of extra-curricular activities or employment; and/or descriptions of honors, awards and achievements. The applicant’s full name should be clearly displayed on any supplemental documentation.

### Honors and Scholars programs, Priority Date November 15

Applicants who wish to be considered for honors and scholars programs must opt in to consideration by selecting the honors and scholars box on the application form (page 6). For best consideration, students should follow the instructions and submit the materials outlined on page 4. Eligible students may be asked to complete a separate supplemental application after they have submitted their application for admission.

### Honors Tutorial College Priority Date November 15

Honors Tutorial College (HTC) applicants must complete all pages of the application. For complete information about the HTC application process and best consideration, applicants should follow instructions and submit the materials outlined on page 4. Visit [ohio.edu/honors/tutorial-college](http://ohio.edu/honors/tutorial-college) for more information.

### E.W. Scripps School of Journalism

Applicants to the E.W. Scripps School of Journalism are encouraged, but not required, to submit an essay detailing how they want to help shape the future of journalism. No separate application form is required for admission to the School. If an applicant is not offered direct admission to the School of Journalism but is admitted to the University, the applicant may still be eligible for other available programs in the Scripps College of Communication. An applicant may also enter University College as an undecided student or select another major for which they may qualify. Most admitted students not offered direct admission to Journalism may appeal the decision. If applicable, information on other available majors and appeal instructions will be included in the decision letter. Visit [ohio.edu/scripps-college/journalism](http://ohio.edu/scripps-college/journalism) for more information.

### School of Visual Communication

The School of Visual Communication requires a portfolio review for direct admission to the program. For more information, contact the School of Visual Communication by emailing [viscom@ohio.edu](mailto:viscom@ohio.edu). More information about portfolio reviews can be found at [ohio.edu/admissions/apply/school-visual-communication-portfolio-review](http://ohio.edu/admissions/apply/school-visual-communication-portfolio-review).

### College of Fine Arts

Applicants to the following majors within the College of Fine Arts must audition, interview and/or submit a portfolio for admission purposes and for talent-based scholarship consideration: art + design BFA majors, all dance majors, film majors, all music majors and theater BFA majors.

Applicants to the following majors are encouraged to interview and/or submit a portfolio for talent-based scholarship consideration: art + design BA majors and theater BA majors.

Information about virtual auditions/interviews/portfolio reviews can be found at:

- School of Art + Design: [ohio.edu/art-design-portfolios](http://ohio.edu/art-design-portfolios)
- School of Dance: [ohio.edu/dance-auditions](http://ohio.edu/dance-auditions)
- School of Film: [ohio.edu/film-materials](http://ohio.edu/film-materials)
- School of Music: [ohio.edu/music-auditions](http://ohio.edu/music-auditions)
- School of Theater: [ohio.edu/theater-auditions](http://ohio.edu/theater-auditions)

## Transfer Applicants

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### Transcripts

To be eligible for consideration, you must have obtained a minimum combined equivalent grade-point average (GPA) of 2.0 or better on a 4.0 scale at all previously attended institutions. Most admitted students exceed this GPA requirement, and some academic programs have more selective criteria. To transfer credit, the credit must have been earned at an institution recognized by the educational governing body in that country. Credit is awarded for most college-level courses completed with a grade of C- (or its recognized equivalent) or higher. If you have completed less than one year of university study, you must also meet freshman admission requirements. Visit [ohio.edu/admissions/transfer](http://ohio.edu/admissions/transfer) for details on special transfer requirements.

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### Biological Sciences

Applicants to the biological sciences major must have a 2.5 cumulative GPA or equivalent and have completed the equivalent of BIOS 1700 and 1705.

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### College of Business

The College of Business allows a limited number of students to apply for transfer into the College of Business for the purpose of earning a Bachelor of Business Administration (B.B.A) degree or Bachelor of Sport Management (B.S.M) degree. In order to transfer directly into the College of Business, students must have a cumulative GPA of no less than 2.5 on a 4.0 scale and must have completed the equivalent of 1) ENG 1510 and 2) ECON 1030 or ECON 1040. International students who do not meet the college's English proficiency requirements will be admitted but will be required to take intensive English courses before beginning coursework. Please visit [ohio.edu/english-proficiency](http://ohio.edu/english-proficiency) for more information on English proficiency requirements.

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### Engineering and Computer Science

Applicants must have completed 20 semester or 30 quarter hours with a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5 on a 4.0 scale or equivalent. Additionally, applicants must have completed one math course equivalent to MATH 1200 (or higher) and one science course equivalent to CHEM 1210, CHEM 1500, CHEM 1510 or PHYS 2051.

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### E.W. Scripps School of Journalism

Applicants must have completed 30 semester or 45 quarter hours with a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale or equivalent. Applicants transferring from another institution who meet Ohio University admission requirements but not Journalism admission requirements will initially be admitted to University College as Undecided-intending Journalism students. Once successfully enrolled in Ohio University courses, applicants must then submit additional transfer application materials as described at [ohio.edu/scripps-college/journalism/undergraduate/prospective-students/apply](http://ohio.edu/scripps-college/journalism/undergraduate/prospective-students/apply).

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### Honors Tutorial College

A limited number of transfer applicants may be considered, depending on capacity. Visit [ohio.edu/honors/tutorial-college](http://ohio.edu/honors/tutorial-college) for more information.

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### J.W. McClure School of Emerging Communication Technologies

Applicants must have completed at least 32 semester or 48 quarter hours, with a minimum accumulative GPA of 2.5 on a 4.0 scale or equivalent for direct admission.

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### School of Nursing

Applicants to the Bachelor of Science in Nursing program must have a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.75 on a 4.0 scale and have completed 30 semester credit hours at the post-secondary level. Additionally, applicants must have completed the equivalent of CHEM 1205 and CHEM 1205L (lab), or have a Math Placement Level 1 or higher. All applicants meeting admission criteria are initially admitted as Pre-Nursing. For more information regarding the major application process, please contact the School of Nursing.

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### School of Visual Communication

All applicants with a minimum accumulative GPA of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale at the time of transfer will be considered for admission to University College as Undecided-Intending Visual Communication. Applicants must submit additional materials available online at [ohio.edu/admissions/apply/school-visual-communication-portfolio-review](http://ohio.edu/admissions/apply/school-visual-communication-portfolio-review).

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### Specialized Studies

Applicants may declare the pre-Bachelor of Specialized Studies pre-major code upon completion of a B.S.S. Information Session. Once a student is a pre-B.S.S. major, they will work with an assigned University College advisor to complete their individualized major proposal. Visit [ohio.edu/university-college/bachelor-specialized-studies/application-process](http://ohio.edu/university-college/bachelor-specialized-studies/application-process) for more information and information session dates.

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- School of Theater: [ohio.edu/theater-auditions](http://ohio.edu/theater-auditions)

## Honors and Scholars Programs

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Ohio University offers a rich array of honors and scholars opportunities for engaged students through the OHIO Honors Program (OHP), 1804 Scholars and OHP-designated honors and scholars programs, including the following:

- Connavino Honors Program (Patton College of Education)
- Copeland Scholars Honors Program (College of Business)
- Entrepreneurship Honors Program (Center for Entrepreneurship)
- MacKenzie King Honors program (Patton College of Education)
- Scripps Innovation Scholars Program (Scripps College of Communication)
- Templeton Scholars Program

Find more information about these programs and their unique offerings at [ohio.edu/honors-apply](http://ohio.edu/honors-apply).

### Application Process

Applicants interested in pursuing honors and scholars opportunities at OHIO must opt-in to consideration on the application form below. Please note that eligible selected students may be asked to complete a separate supplemental application after they have submitted the application for admission. Most successful candidates submit: (1) a list of extra-curricular activities, (2) one essay (either a Common Application essay prompt, which can be found at [commonapp.org/apply/essay-prompts](http://commonapp.org/apply/essay-prompts); OHIO's essay prompt; or the essays for the Honors Tutorial College academic programs), and (3) at least one letter of recommendation.

Some honors and scholars programs require interviews, and eligible students will be invited to participate.

## Honors Tutorial College

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The Honors Tutorial College (HTC) offers a nationally distinctive undergraduate education based on the British tutorial model developed at Oxford and Cambridge universities. Tutorials consist of courses taught either one-on-one with a student and a professor or a very small seminar consisting of several HTC students and a professor. In general, HTC students take one tutorial per academic semester along with a mix of traditional courses. An education grounded in this approach provides for exceptional faculty mentoring, heightened intellectual development, and experiential learning opportunities. Success in a tutorial program also requires a high degree of maturity, self-motivation, and curiosity. To learn more about HTC, applicants should visit [ohio.edu/honors/tutorial-college](http://ohio.edu/honors/tutorial-college).

### Application Process

HTC has a priority application submission deadline of November 15, 2022, for all materials. On the Ohio University application form, be sure to check the box indicating that you are applying to the Honors Tutorial College and use the major codes specifically designated for HTC degree programs. The College is highly selective, typically enrolling fewer than 100 students each year across all of its programs of study. For best consideration, applicants should follow the honors and scholars programs application instructions above and answer the following two HTC questions, resulting in at least three essay submissions. Recommended length is 500 words each.

**HTC Question 1:** *Please explain why you have chosen your particular program of study.*

**HTC Question 2:** *We expect that one reason you seek a tutorial education is for the one-on-one interaction with faculty, but other than that, what interests you about pursuing a tutorial-based undergraduate education? What aspects of your education and life experience have prepared you for a tutorial education with its emphasis on research and creative activity?*

Complete applications received by November 15 will be reviewed by Undergraduate Admissions and HTC to determine whether the application will be forwarded to the Director(s) of Studies (faculty members responsible for administering each program of study) for further review. After November 15, 2022, Directors of Studies will select candidates for required interviews. Because of the nature of a tutorial education, an interview with Directors of Studies and faculty tutors is required. Interviewees who are not offered admission to an HTC program will automatically be reviewed for admission to the appropriate OHIO college.

### Recommended Additional Admission Material

To provide better insight into their abilities, HTC applicants are strongly encouraged to submit the optional materials below. Applicants who do not submit additional materials by November 15 may be contacted and asked to submit them at a later date. Applicants should not send original artwork or other "one-of-a-kind" materials. Because of the number of applications received, it will not be possible to return materials. Unless noted otherwise, materials should be emailed to [admissions@ohio.edu](mailto:admissions@ohio.edu).

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#### Biological Sciences

Applicants may submit two letters of recommendation, at least one from a math or science teacher.

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#### Business

Applicants may submit one writing sample, preferably a research paper.

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#### Chemistry

Applicants may submit two letters of recommendation, at least one from a math or science teacher.

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#### Communication Studies

Applicants may submit one writing sample, which may be any paper from high school.

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#### Dance

Applicants may submit a written essay on the significance of dance to the applicant's career objectives, along with two letters of recommendation, one from a dance instructor and one from an academic teacher or counselor. Writing samples from academic coursework are also encouraged.

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#### English

Applicants may submit a copy of an essay written for an English class, which analyzes a literary work. If possible, the essay should incorporate secondary sources (but this is not essential). Applicants interested in creative writing may also submit a short sample of creative work.

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#### Film

Applicants must submit one of the following items: a personal statement, a short essay, a link to your relevant work(s), an original screenplay, or a creative resume. Materials can be submitted at [ohio.edu/film-materials](http://ohio.edu/film-materials).

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#### Journalism

Applicants may submit a writing portfolio including at least three samples of published work. Students who intend to study broadcast and/or multimedia journalism are also encouraged to submit links to short video or audio clips in addition to the writing portfolio.

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## Recommended Additional Admission Material cont.

### Media Arts & Studies

Applicants interested in integrated media (narrative video), music production and recording industry, screenwriting and producing, games and animation, or media and social change must submit a portfolio of work that may include creative or written work.

### Neuroscience

Applicants may submit two letters of recommendation, at least one from a math or science teacher.

### Spanish

Applicants may submit two letters of recommendation that speak to the applicant's knowledge and use of the language and culture. Samples of graded papers in Spanish with at least two pages of writing with teacher comments are also welcome.

### Studio Art

Applicants may submit an initial portfolio in electronic format for review at [ohio.edu/art-design-portfolios](http://ohio.edu/art-design-portfolios).

### Theater

Applicants may submit a copy of a paper written for an English or social studies class.

## Estimated Expenses for 2022-2023<sup>1</sup>

U.S. immigration regulations require you to demonstrate that you have sufficient funds to cover one academic year (2 semesters) of expenses before a visa certificate (I-20) can be issued on your behalf.

Tuition and fees	\$ 23,720
Living expenses*	\$ 15,862
Health insurance	\$ 2,005

**2023-2024 amount required to demonstrate availability of funds for an I-20 Certificate of Eligibility: \$ 41,587<sup>2</sup>**

\* Living expenses include lodging, meals, funds for books and supplies, lodging and meals during academic breaks, and personal spending money.

### To demonstrate availability of sufficient funds please provide:

- **A statement of financial sponsorship:**  
Please provide a letter or form signed by your financial sponsor stating his/her relationship to you, that he/she agrees to act as financial sponsor, and that they will make funds available to you for living and personal expenses.  
Visit [ohio.edu/admissions/form](http://ohio.edu/admissions/form) for a sample form.
- **One of the following financial documents:**
  - a. A bank statement in the name of the sponsor showing the equivalent of \$41,587 in an accessible account.<sup>3</sup>
  - b. An official letter from a bank stating the sponsor's specific amount of available funds.
  - c. If receiving a scholarship, an official letter from the scholarship agency stating you are a recipient and the expenses the scholarship will cover.

<sup>1</sup> Estimated expenses only. Subject to change by action of the Ohio University Board of Trustees.

<sup>2</sup> The total listed represents one academic year (two semesters of study). Students who wish to study over the summer semester (optional) will need to budget additional funds.

<sup>3</sup> An accessible account is a liquid or cash account, such as a checking or savings account. Life insurance, investment, lines of credit, or similar accounts cannot be used.

## Scholarships

Partial merit scholarships are available for international students who meet freshman or transfer scholarship criteria. Students in any academic program are eligible, but must earn direct admission to academic study.

### OHIO Excellence Awards

First-year students with complete applications, including secondary school records by November 15 will be considered automatically for the OHIO Excellence Awards Program. Applicants will still be considered for scholarships after November 15, as availability permits. This award is only applicable for students who plan to enter in fall semester.

### Other Transfer Scholarships

A limited number of transfer scholarships are available for students entering fall semester only. You must apply and be admitted by May 15. Therefore, we recommend that you apply with complete credentials by April 1. You must have completed a full year of academic study and present excellent grades to be eligible for consideration. Please note that these awards are very competitive and will only provide a small amount toward tuition expenses.

Visit [ohio.edu/admissions/international/costs-aid](http://ohio.edu/admissions/international/costs-aid) for more information on scholarships.

## Visa Information

You should allow three to six months to obtain a visa after you have been admitted to the University and received your Certificate of Eligibility (I-20). You may wish to contact the local U.S. embassy or consulate for specific information regarding the visa application process within your country. To facilitate the processing of your visa, list your name on your application exactly as it appears on your passport and provide your foreign home (not post office box) address as your permanent address.

All international students who apply for an F-1 visa using an I-20 issued for "initial attendance" are required to pay a SEVIS fee. Proof of fee payment must be submitted at the visa interview. More information is available at: [ice.gov/sevis/i901](http://ice.gov/sevis/i901).

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## Application Form

2023-2024 Academic Year  
ohio.edu/admissions

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Email: admissions@ohio.edu Telephone: +1.740.593.4100 Fax: +1.740.593.0560

Who should use this form? Any student who will attend on a non-immigrant visa should use this form and follow the steps listed below. U.S. citizens and permanent residents should request appropriate application materials from Undergraduate Admissions.

Failure to complete all sections of this form may significantly delay the processing time of your application. Remember to sign your application and include the \$70 nonrefundable fee. An essay is recommended if you are applying to the E. W. Scripps School of Journalism or the College of Business. If you are applying to the Honors Tutorial College (priority date: Nov. 15), please make sure to complete the HTC Application Supplement.

### Your Information

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First Middle Suffix (Jr., III, etc.)

Previous Name (other name under which your transcripts might appear)

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Preferred Name (Nickname) \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Legal Sex  Male  Female Social Security Number   
mm / dd / yyyy If you do not have a Social Security Number, leave this blank.

Which type of applicant are you? (If you have enrolled in any college or university after secondary school, you are considered a transfer applicant.)  Freshman Applicant  Transfer Applicant

When do you plan to enroll?  Fall (August 2023)  Spring (January 2024)  Summer (May 2024)

College:  Arts and Sciences  Business  Communication  Education  Engineering and Technology  Fine Arts  
 Health Sciences and Professions  Honors Tutorial College  International Studies  University College

Please select the college and major to which you are applying. (Please refer to the majors list for options and major codes.)

\_\_\_\_\_ Major Major Code

#### Opt in to honors and scholars consideration:

If you are interested in honors and scholars opportunities, check the box below. Please note that eligible students may be asked to complete a separate supplemental application after they have submitted their application for admission.

Consider me for honor and scholars programs.

What is your country of citizenship? \_\_\_\_\_

If you did not answer "United States" in the above question, are you a U.S. permanent resident?  Yes  No

Are you an international student?  Yes  No

Do you **currently** hold a U.S. visa?  Yes  No

If yes, what type of visa do you currently hold? \_\_\_\_\_

Where were you born? \_\_\_\_\_  
City Country

If you are a U.S. Citizen or Permanent Resident, asylee, refugee, or in temporary protective status, please fill out the domestic application for undergraduate admission.

## Financial Information

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Name of sponsor or sponsoring agency \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsor relationship to applicant:  Mother  Father  Self  Scholarship or Government  Other

Please provide a statement signed by your sponsor stating your relationship and the amount they will provide for your educational and living expenses.

Do you require a letter of admission for external (government or foundation scholarship) purposes?  Yes  No

## Permanent Address

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Address 1 \_\_\_\_\_

Address 2 \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State/Province \_\_\_\_\_

Zip/Postal Code \_\_\_\_\_ Country \_\_\_\_\_ Address Valid Since     /     /     /      
mm / dd / yyyy

## Mailing Address

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Address 1 \_\_\_\_\_

Address 2 \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State/Province \_\_\_\_\_

Zip/Postal Code \_\_\_\_\_ Country \_\_\_\_\_ Address Valid Since     /     /     /      
mm / dd / yyyy

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ (Area Code/Country Code) Phone Number      Mobile Phone \_\_\_\_\_ (Area Code/Country Code) Phone Number

**Permission to text:**  Yes, I give Ohio University permission to send me important updates and information about my application status. Contact methods may include text messaging and phone calls generated from an automated dialing system.

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Ohio University uses email extensively to communicate with applicants. Please be sure to provide an accurate email address for an account you regularly read.

## Agency Information (if applicable)

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Agency: \_\_\_\_\_

Agent/Counselor Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Agent/Counselor email: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_

Country (if not U.S.): \_\_\_\_\_

## Emergency Contact Information

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street Address Apartment#

City State/Province Zip/Postal Code

County Country (if not U.S.)

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Type:  Home  Work  Cell

Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

## Family Information

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Will you be the first in your family to go to college?  Yes  No

Do you have family members who have attended, or are currently attending, Ohio University?  Yes  No

## Parent/Guardian 1

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Highest level of school this parent or guardian has **completed**:

Less than HS Graduate  HS Graduate or Equivalent  Some College  Technical School  2-Year College Degree  Bachelor's Level Degree  
 Some Graduate School  Master's Level Degree  Doctorate (Academic)  Doctorate (Professional)  Post-Doctorate

Did this parent or guardian graduate from Ohio University?  Yes  No Graduation Year: \_\_\_\_\_  
YYYY

Is this parent or guardian an employee of Ohio University?  Yes  No

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Type:  Home  Work  Cell

Relationship:  Mother  Father  Step-Father  Step-Mother  Legal Guardian

## Parent/Guardian 2

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Less than HS Graduate  HS Graduate or Equivalent  Some College  Technical School  2-Year College Degree  Bachelor's Level Degree  
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Did this parent or guardian graduate from Ohio University?  Yes  No Graduation Year: \_\_\_\_\_  
YYYY

Is this parent or guardian an employee of Ohio University?  Yes  No

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Last First

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Type:  Home  Work  Cell

Relationship:  Mother  Father  Step-Father  Step-Mother  Legal Guardian



## Your Education

**High School** High School Type:  Public  Private  Homeschool

Name

City

State/Province

CEEB Code

Graduation Date:     /    /     GED?  Yes  No     /    /     State/Country: \_\_\_\_\_  
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## Standardized Tests

Please indicate your preferred testing plan.

Yes, I intend to submit official ACT or SAT scores as part of my application. Please note that scores must be received directly from the testing agency.

No, I do not intend to submit official ACT or SAT scores as part of my application. (I am applying as a test-optional candidate.) Please note that test-optional candidates are encouraged, but not required, to submit (1) a list of activities, (2) one essay, and (3) at least one letter of recommendation.

SAT Test Date:     /    /     SAT Test Date:     /    /      
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ACT Test Date:     /    /     ACT Test Date:     /    /      
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TOEFL Test Date:     /    /     TOEFL Test Date:     /    /      
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IELTS Test Date:     /    /     IELTS Test Date:     /    /      
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## College Coursework

Have you ever taken Ohio University coursework (regardless of location or level)?  Yes  No

Have you attended any other colleges or universities?  Yes  No

## Post-Secondary Background

If you have attended more than three other post-secondary institutions, please attach a separate page listing the name, location, and dates of attendance.

Name

City

State/Province

Country

Beginning Date of Attendance:     /    /     End Date of Attendance:     /    /      
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Name

City

State/Province

Country

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## English Proficiency

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If you do not provide proof of English proficiency, you will be considered for Conditional Admission to Ohio University. This means that you will be asked to successfully complete the Ohio Program of Intensive English (OPIE) before being admitted into your desired major. Please visit [ohio.edu/admissions/international/apply#english](https://ohio.edu/admissions/international/apply#english) for more details about proof of English proficiency at Ohio University.

I will provide proof of my English proficiency:  Yes  No

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## Signature

Date / /

I understand that I am responsible for submitting complete and accurate information on my application form and in all related application materials. I certify that the information contained in this application form and in all application materials is complete and accurate, and I understand that submission of inaccurate information by me or at my direction may be sufficient cause for terminating my enrollment. I understand that I am required to notify Undergraduate Admissions if any of the information provided on this application for admission changes after submission. Ohio University reserves the right to alter terms of admission, up to and including revocation of the admission offer, if necessary.

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# International Application for Admission and Scholarships



## Athens Campus Majors List

### 2023-2024 Academic Year ohio.edu/admissions

Undergraduate Admissions, Chubb Hall 120, 1 Ohio University Drive, Athens, OH 45701-2979  
Email: admissions@ohio.edu Telephone: 740.593.4100 Fax: 740.593.0560

The prefix of each major code indicates the type of degree awarded in that major. In some cases, it indicates that an additional application process is required for admission to the major.

<b>AA</b> Associate in Arts	<b>BC</b> Bachelor of Science in Communication	<b>ND</b> Non-degree or undecided (sometimes used to indicate that a pre-major program is required prior to direct admission to the major)
<b>AAS</b> Associate in Applied Science	<b>BF</b> Bachelor of Fine Arts	<b>SA</b> Additional action required
<b>AS</b> Associate in Science	<b>BJ</b> Bachelor of Science in Journalism	
<b>BA</b> Bachelor of Arts	<b>BM</b> Bachelor of Music	
<b>BB</b> Bachelor of Business Administration	<b>BS</b> Bachelor of Science	

#### CENTER FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDIES

BA4405	Global Studies – Africa
BA4406	Global Studies – Asia
BA4407	Global Studies – Europe
BA4408	Global Studies – Latin America
BA4409	Global Studies – War and Peace

#### COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

Some of the majors in this college have two major codes. In general, with these majors applicants have the option of choosing a degree program that is oriented either more toward the sciences (BS) or toward the liberal arts (BA). Details on the differences can be found in the College of Arts and Sciences section of the *Undergraduate Catalog*. Applicants may want to consult with an admissions advisor or a college representative about choosing an option.

#### African American Studies

BA4903	African American Studies
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#### Biological Sciences

BS2121	Biological Sciences
BS2520	Cellular and Molecular Biology
BA2129	Environmental Biology
BA2128	Human Biology
BS2126	Marine, Freshwater, and Environmental Biology
BS0411	Microbiology
BS2127	Pre-Dentistry
BS2127	Pre-Medicine
BS2127	Pre-Optometry
BS2507	Pre-Physical Therapy
BS2127	Pre-Veterinary Medicine
BS2522	Wildlife and Conservation Biology

#### Chemistry and Biochemistry

BS3316	Biochemistry
BA3311	Chemistry
BS3311	Chemistry
BS3315	Environmental Chemistry
BS3310	Forensic Chemistry
BS3312	Pre-Dentistry
BS3314	Pre-Medicine
BS3313	Pre-Pharmacy

#### Classics and Religious Studies

BA5214	Classical Civilization
BA5217	Classical Languages
BA5215	World Religions

#### Economics

BA4221	Economics
BS4225	Economics

#### English

BA5232	Creative Writing
BA5223	Literature, Culture and Writing

#### Environmental and Plant Biology

BA2110	Applied Plant Biology
BS2120	Environmental and Plant Biology
BS2109	Environmental Science and Sustainability
BA2119	Field Ecology

#### Geography

BS3339	Broadcast Meteorology
BS4232	Environmental Geography
BS4235	Geographic Information Science
BA4231	Geography
BS4231	Geography
BA4241	Globalization and Development
BS4238	Meteorology
BS4240	Pre-Law (Environmental)
BS4242	Urban Planning and Sustainability

#### Geological Sciences

BS5025	Environmental Water Resources
BS3321	Geological Sciences
BA3321	Geological Sciences

#### History

BA4211	History
BA4214	Pre-Law (History)

#### Linguistics

BA5290	Linguistics
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#### Mathematics

BS3105	Actuarial Sciences
BS3103	Applied Mathematics
BS3106	Mathematical Statistics
BA3101	Mathematics
BS3101	Mathematics

#### Modern Languages

BA5221	French
BA5225	Spanish

#### Philosophy

BA5241	Philosophy
BA5244	Pre-Law (Philosophy)
BA5242	Pre-Theology

#### Physics and Astronomy

BS3332	Applied Physics
BS3335	Astrophysics
BS3338	Meteorology
BA3331	Physics
BS3331	Physics

#### Political Science

BA4201	Political Science
BA4203	Pre-Law (Political Science)

#### Psychology

BA4105	Pre-Physical Therapy
BS4101	Psychology

#### Sociology and Anthropology

BA4252	Anthropology
BA4254	Pre-Law (Sociology)
BA4251	Sociology
BA4253	Sociology-Criminology

#### Undecided

ND0410	Undecided Arts & Sciences
ND0406	Undecided Humanities
ND0407	Undecided Sciences
ND0408	Undecided Social Sciences

#### Women's, Gender, and Sexuality Studies

BA4412	Women's, Gender, and Sexuality Studies
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#### COLLEGE OF BUSINESS

The Sport Management Major leads to the Bachelor of Sport Management. All other majors within the College of Business lead to the Bachelor of Business Administration.

BB6121	Accounting
BB6158	Business Analytics
BB6124	Business Economics
BB6156	Entrepreneurship
BB6125	Finance
BB6132	International Business
BB6137	Management Information Systems
BB6127	Marketing
BB6120	Pre-Law (Business)
BS8167	Sport Management
BB5026	Strategic Leadership and Management
ND0610	Undecided Business

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**COLLEGE OF FINE ARTS**

**Art + Design**

The following codes lead to a Bachelor of Arts. These are direct entry programs that do not require a portfolio review.

- BA5149 Art History
- BA5050 Studio Art

The following codes lead to a Bachelor of Fine Arts and require a successful portfolio review:

- BF6321 Graphic Design<sup>1</sup>
- BF5198 Interior Architecture<sup>1</sup>
- BF5051 Studio Art<sup>1</sup>
- BF5057 Studio Art - Art Therapy<sup>1</sup>

**Dance**

Auditions are required for admission to any dance major.

The following code leads to a Bachelor of Arts in dance and requires a successful audition:

- BA5150 Dance<sup>4</sup>

The following code leads to a Bachelor of Fine Arts degree and requires a successful audition:

- BF5154 Performance and Choreography<sup>4</sup>

**Film**

The following code leads to a Bachelor of Fine Arts and requires additional application materials:

- BF5155 Film<sup>1</sup>

**Interdisciplinary Arts**

The following code leads to a Bachelor of Fine Arts. This is a direct entry program that does not require an audition, interview or portfolio review.

- BF6328 Interdisciplinary Arts

**Music**

Auditions are required for admission to any music major.

The following code leads to a Bachelor of Arts in music and requires a successful audition:

- BA5195 Music<sup>4</sup>

The following codes lead to a Bachelor of Music degree and require a successful audition:

- BM5053 Instrumental Performance<sup>4</sup>
- BM5007 Instrumental Performance - Contemporary Music and Digital Instruments<sup>4</sup>
- BM5105 Music Composition<sup>4</sup>
- BM5106 Music Education Choral Emphasis<sup>4</sup>
- BM5107 Music Education Instrumental Emphasis<sup>4</sup>
- BM5115 Music Therapy<sup>4</sup>
- BM5102 Organ<sup>4</sup>
- BM5100 Piano<sup>4</sup>
- BM5104 Piano Pedagogy<sup>4</sup>
- BM5101 Voice<sup>4</sup>

**Theater**

The following code leads to a Bachelor of Arts. This is a direct entry program that does not require an audition, interview or portfolio review.

- BA5194 Theater

The following codes lead to a Bachelor of Fine Arts and require a successful audition, interview and/or portfolio review:

- BF5158 Playwriting<sup>1,9</sup>
- BF5162 Production Design and Technology<sup>1,9</sup>
- BF5168 Stage Management<sup>9</sup>

- BF5048 Theater Performance: Acting<sup>4</sup>
- BF5049 Theater Performance: Musical Theater<sup>4</sup>

**COLLEGE OF HEALTH SCIENCES AND PROFESSIONS**

**Applied Health Sciences and Wellness**

- BS6470 Applied Nutrition
- BS8122 Exercise Physiology
- BS8178 Exercise Physiology Pre-Athletic Training
- BS8171 Exercise Physiology Pre-Physical Therapy
- BS6474 Nutrition Science

**Interdisciplinary Health Studies**

- ND6340 Integrated Healthcare Studies<sup>5</sup>

**Nursing**

This four-year program leads to the Bachelor of Science in Nursing degree (BSN). Eligible freshmen are admitted to Pre-Nursing.

- ND1220 Nursing<sup>5</sup>

**Rehabilitation and Communication Sciences**

- BS5389 Hearing, Speech and Language Sciences

**Social and Public Health**

- BS6468 Child and Family Studies
- BS8100 Community and Public Health
- BS6260 Environmental Health Science
- BS8119 Health Services Administration

**Social Work**

- ND6603 Social Work<sup>5</sup>

**Undecided**

- ND0210 Undecided Health Sciences & Professions

**HONORS TUTORIAL COLLEGE**

The Honors Tutorial College offers a nationally distinctive undergraduate education based on the British tutorial model developed at Oxford and Cambridge universities. Applicants must complete the HTC application supplement.

- BB1926 Accounting<sup>6</sup>
- BA1934 Anthropology
- BA1935 Art History
- BS1904 Biochemistry<sup>7</sup>
- BS1902 Biological Sciences
- BB1926 Business Administration<sup>6</sup>
- BB1926 Business Economics<sup>6</sup>
- BS1904 Chemistry<sup>7</sup>
- BA1951 Classics and Religious Studies
- BC1918 Communication Studies
- BF1906 Dance<sup>4</sup>
- BS1910 Economics
- BS1925 Engineering Physics
- BA1916 English
- BB1926 Entrepreneurship<sup>6</sup>
- BS1901 Environmental and Plant Biology
- BA1942 Environmental Studies
- BF1924 Film<sup>1</sup>
- BB1926 Finance<sup>6</sup>
- BS1904 Forensic Chemistry<sup>7</sup>
- BA1944 Geography
- BS1948 Geological Sciences
- BA1909 History
- BB1926 International Business<sup>6</sup>

- BJ1923 Journalism
- BB1926 Management Information Systems<sup>6</sup>
- BB1926 Marketing<sup>6</sup>
- BS1903 Mathematics
- BC1920 Media Arts & Studies
- BA1938 Music<sup>4</sup>
- BA1917 Philosophy
- BS1905 Physics
- BA1908 Political Science
- BA1930 Social Work
- BA1912 Sociology
- BB1926 Strategic Leadership and Management<sup>6</sup>
- BF1940 Studio Art<sup>1</sup>
- BF1913 Theater
- BA1913 Theater
- BS1946 Translational Health—Applied Nutrition
- BS1947 Translational Health—Exercise Physiology

**PATTON COLLEGE OF EDUCATION**

**Recreation, Sport Pedagogy, and Consumer Sciences**

- BS6375 Family and Consumer Sciences Education - Community Leadership
- BS6370 Family and Consumer Sciences Education - Teaching
- BS6361 Restaurant, Hotel, and Tourism
- BS6384 Retail and Fashion Merchandising
- BS8176 Outdoor Recreation and Education
- BS8169 Physical Activity and Sport Coaching
- ND8926 Health and Physical Education<sup>5</sup>
- BS8177 Recreation Management

**Special Education**

- ND6230 Mild-Moderate Educational Needs<sup>5</sup>
- ND6313 Moderate-Intensive Educational Needs<sup>5</sup>

**Teacher Education - Adolescent to Young Adult (Secondary)**

- BS6315 Earth/Space Science
- BS6306 Integrated Language Arts
- BS6307 Integrated Mathematics
- BS6309 Integrated Science
- BS6308 Integrated Social Studies
- BS6314 Life Science
- BS6397 Physical Science-Chemistry
- BS6396 Physical Science-Physics
- BS6395 Physical Science-Physics and Chemistry

**Teacher Education - Early Childhood and Elementary**

- ND8929 Early Childhood & Elementary Education<sup>5</sup>

**Teacher Education - Middle Childhood**

- BS6180 Language Arts and Mathematics
- BS6179 Language Arts and Science
- BS6178 Language Arts and Social Studies
- BS6177 Mathematics and Science
- BS6175 Mathematics and Social Studies
- BS6176 Science and Social Studies

**Teacher Education - Multi-Age Programs**

- BS5012 French Education
- BS5024 Spanish Education

**Undecided**

- ND0810 Undecided Education

**MAJOR CODE LIST (continued)****RUSS COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING AND TECHNOLOGY****Aviation**

AA7268	Aviation Flight Technology
BS7270	Aviation Management

**Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering**

BS7251	Chemical Engineering
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**Civil Engineering**

BS7252	Civil Engineering
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**Electrical Engineering and Computer Science**

BS7260	Computer Science
BS7253	Electrical Engineering
BS7254	Electrical Engineering - Computer Engineering Track

**Engineering Technology and Management**

BS7256	Engineering Technology and Management
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**Industrial and Systems Engineering**

BS7255	Industrial and Systems Engineering
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**Mechanical Engineering**

BS7274	Energy Engineering
BS7257	Mechanical Engineering

**Undecided**

ND0910	Undecided Engineering
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**SCRIPPS COLLEGE OF COMMUNICATION****Communication Studies**

BC5363	Communication and Public Advocacy
BC5363	Health Communication
BC5363	Organizational Communication

**Emerging Communication Technologies**

BC5329	Information and Telecommunication Systems
BC5383	Information and Telecommunication Systems: Emerging Communication Technologies
BC5384	Virtual Reality & Game Development

**Journalism**

BJ6906	News and Information
BJ6907	Strategic Communication

**Media Arts & Studies**

BC5386	Animation
BC5369	Media and Social Change
BC5382	Media Arts Production
BC5371	Music Production and Recording Industry

**Visual Communication**

BS6925	Commercial Photography <sup>1</sup>
BS6924	Information Graphics/ Publication Design <sup>1</sup>
BS6923	Multimedia <sup>1</sup>
BS6922	Photojournalism <sup>1</sup>

**UNIVERSITY COLLEGE**

University College provides dedicated programming for undecided students who are exploring the University's options before selecting a major and undeclared students who know the path they want to take and are preparing for admission to a selective major. Most students enroll in the college of their major or create a specialized degree program by early in their sophomore year.

**Associate Degrees**

AA1114	Arts - Arts and Humanities Emphasis
AA1110	Arts - Social Science Emphasis
ND5508	Individualized Studies <sup>3</sup>
AS1104	Science

**Baccalaureate Degrees**

ND1112	Specialized Studies <sup>3</sup>
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**Undecided or Undeclared**

ND1201	Undecided <sup>2</sup>
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**Footnotes**

- Portfolio required.
- University College students may remain undecided until they have earned 45 semester hours of credit.
- Upon enrolling at OHIO, applicants must meet with a University College advisor and complete a separate application for the major program.
- Audition required.
- Upon successful completion of the preparatory program requirements, applicants must complete a separate application for the major program.
- HTC consolidates business interests into one Business Administration major leading to a Bachelor of Business Administration upon graduation. Students in the program may pursue any business track of interest, including multiple, though they will still have one major.
- HTC consolidates chemistry interests into one Chemistry major leading to a Bachelor of Science upon graduation. Students in the program may pursue any chemistry track of interest, including multiple, though they will still have one major.
- Not open to first-year students.
- Interview required.